Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have brought glory and honor to themselves and to this great state through the excellence of their business achievements in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, John and Martha Foglesong of Marshfield have attained considerable distinction as the owners of D.D. Hamilton Title Company; and

Whereas, John and Martha Foglesong recently enhanced their stellar record of accomplishments when they were chosen to receive Business Person of the Year recognition from the Marshfield Area Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, the daughter of Lucille Fyan and the late Robert W. Fyan, Martha Foglesong is a member of PEO Sisterhood, Drury University Women's Auxiliary, Marshfield Community Foundation, and United Methodist Church, where she serves as Choir Director; and

Whereas, the son of the deceased Jim and Dorothy Foglesong, John Foglesong likewise has been deeply involved in the community through such venues as the Marshfield Development League; United Methodist Church; Rotary Club, which he served as President; School Board; Chamber of Commerce, which he served as President; and Cub Scouts; and

Whereas, John Foglesong also deserves commendation for his past volunteer efforts as a fireman and ambulance attendant and for his ongoing work as a mentor at an elementary school; and

Whereas, John and Martha Foglesong are the beloved parents of a son, Mark Foglesong, who is justifiably proud of their accomplishments thus far in life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of John and Martha Foglesong for a Business Person of the Year award and to convey to them this legislative body's heartiest best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for John and Martha Foglesong of Marshfield, Missouri.

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2578, adopted May 4, 2004.